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- Transmittal Sheet (2 pages);
- Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages);
- FORM PTO-1449 (1 page); and
- One (1) Reference

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Dear Examiner George:

We enclose the corrected Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) with supporting documents as requested. We also understand that you will take these documents under submission as correction to the prior IDS filed on October 26, 2004 that was included with the Request for Continued Examination filing.

If you have any questions or if we can provide further information, please do not hesitate to call.

Very truly yours,

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for the above-identified application please find:

1. Information Disclosure Statement (2 pgs.);
3. Form PTO-1449 (1 pg. in duplicate);
4. One (1) Reference (76 pgs.);

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.6(d)	
I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being transmitted via facsimile (571) 273-8300 on December 15, 2004 to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. ATTN: Examiner Konan M. George	
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97, enclosed is a reference relating to the above-identified application. For the convenience of the Examiner, the reference is listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 and a copy of the reference is enclosed herewith.

It is respectfully requested that the reference be considered in the examination of this application and its consideration be made of written record in the application file.

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